

1
2
3
4
5
6
7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 BALTAZAR REYES GARCIA,

11 Petitioner,

12 v.

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

14 Respondent.

CASE NO. C21-0322JLR

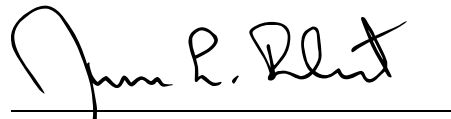
ORDER GRANTING MOTION
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO
FILE REPLY

15 Before the court is *pro se* Petitioner Baltazar Reyes Garcia's motion for an
16 extension of time to file his reply in support of his federal habeas corpus petition. (Mot.
17 (Dkt. # 10); *see also* Pet. (Dkt. # 1).) Mr. Garcia's reply was originally due on June 4,
18 2021. (*See* 5/14/21 Dkt. Entry (Dkt. # 9).) Mr. Garcia, however, states that due to
19 lockdowns at the facility in which he was originally in custody and a recent transfer to a
20 detention facility that is partially locked down due to COVID-19, he has been unable to
21 access his legal materials and draft his reply. (Mot. at 1.) He asks that the court extend
22

1 the deadline to file his reply to June 30, 2021. (*Id.* at 2.) Respondent United States of
2 America has not responded to Mr. Garcia's motion for an extension of time. (*See* Dkt.)

3 The court has considered Mr. Garcia's motion, the relevant portions of the record,
4 and the applicable law. Being fully advised, the court finds that Mr. Garcia has
5 established good cause for an extension of the deadline to file his reply and therefore
6 GRANTS Mr. Garcia's motion (Dkt. # 10). *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 6(b)(1)(A) (allowing
7 court to extend deadline for good cause shown). Mr. Garcia shall file his reply by no
8 later than June 30, 2021. The Clerk is DIRECTED to re-note Mr. Garcia's habeas corpus
9 petition for June 30, 2021. (*See* 5/14/21 Dkt. Entry.)

10 Dated this 9th day of June, 2021.

11
12 
13 JAMES L. ROBART
14 United States District Judge
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22